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Sir:

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[X] Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:

[X] Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76) (2 pages).

[X] Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (19 pages).

[X] Informal drawings (5 sheets, Figures 1, 2A-2C, 3A-3B, 4A-4B, 5).

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